288 Textile Factory at Tsingtao that a woman worker, Ho Chien-hsiu, developed her accelerated method of work which won her international recognition (at least among the Soviet nations) as a "labor heroine." A convalescent hospital and rest camp for "model laborers" has been established at the famous beach resort.

489 The port of Tsingtao, whose extensive rail spurlines connect the wharf with nearby warehouses, has a breakwater over 1,300 feet in length.

The Tientsin-P'u-k'ou Railway passes Tsinan, Tzu-yang , and Hsü-chou . Hsü-chou is in Kiangsu Province and has been the locale of many decisive battles in ancient and modern Chinese history. The Lunghai Railway links Hsü-chou with Lien-yün-kang on the coast. Lien-yün-kang, with a wharf of about 1,000 feet in length, is not an extensive port.

There is no north-to-south railway in Kiangsu Province, but the highway net is a complete one. The Grand Canal connects many eastern Kiangsu cities with Yang-chou , formerly a noted resort. Besides luxury and comfort, Yang-chou also offers a large supply of salt produced in the lower Hwai River area.

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489 In southeast Kiangsu the communication 361 center is, of course, Shanghai. This city, the largest in the Far East, must rely on the

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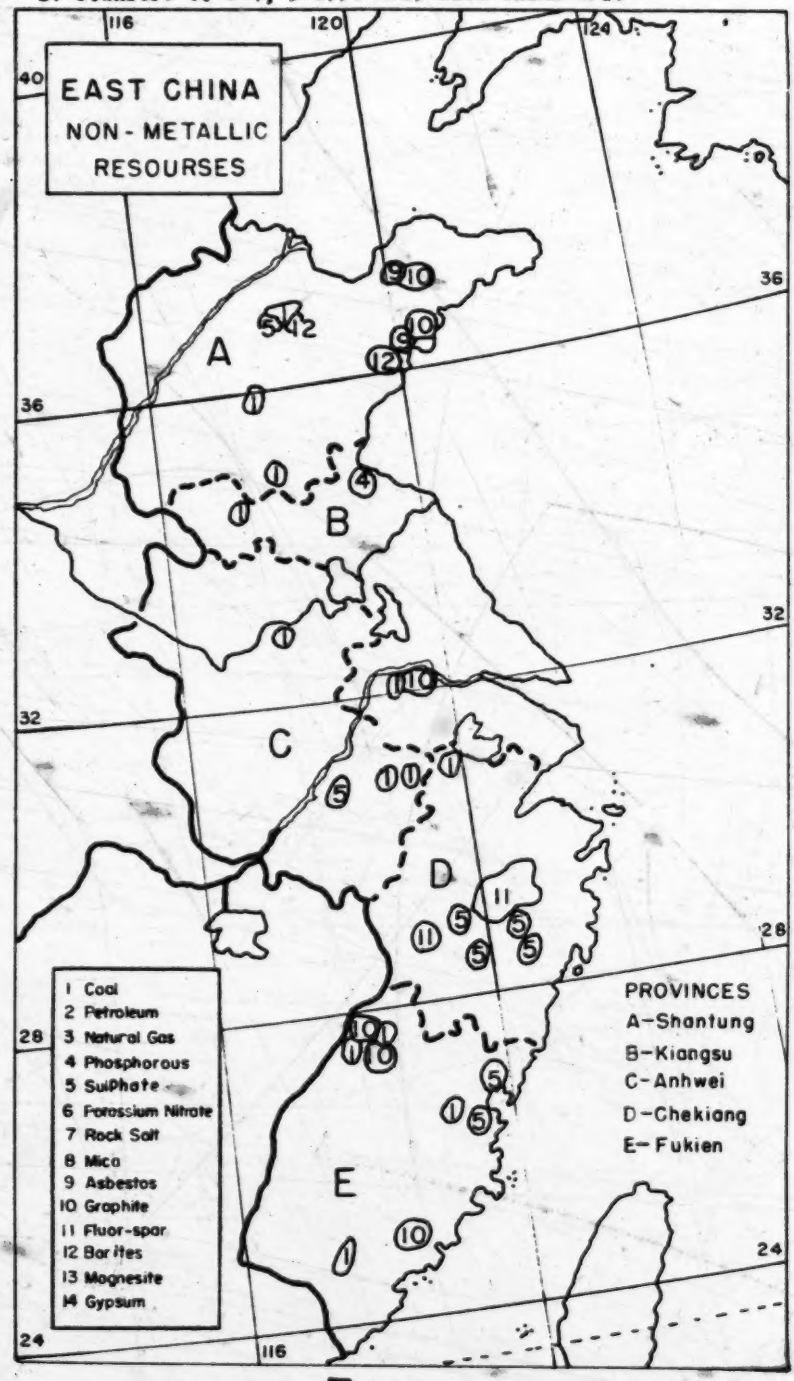

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